

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, JULY 21, 2020

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs, to hold hearings to examine United States government efforts to address ocean plastic pollution internationally, 2 p.m., SD-124.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Hester Maria Peirce, of Ohio, and Caroline A. Crenshaw, of the District of Columbia, both to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission, and Kyle Hauptman, of Maine, to be a Member of the National Credit Union Administration Board, 10 a.m., WEBEX.

Full Committee, business meeting to consider the nominations of Judy Shelton, of California, to be a Member, and Christopher Waller, of Minnesota, both to be a Member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, 2 p.m., SD-106.

Committee on the Budget: business meeting to consider the nomination of Derek Kan, of California, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget, 12 noon, SR-301.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Manufacturing, Trade, and Consumer Protection, to hold hearings to examine protecting Americans from COVID-19 scams, 2:30 p.m., SD-G50.

Committee on Finance: to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Michael N. Nemelka, of Utah, to be a Deputy United States Trade Representative (Investment, Services, Labor, Environment, Africa, China, and the Western Hemisphere), with the rank of Ambassador, and Christian N. Weiler, of Louisiana, and Alina I. Marshall, of Virginia, both to be a Judge of the United States Tax Court, 10 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Marshall Billingslea, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary for Arms Control and International Security, C.J. Mahoney, of Kansas, to be Legal Adviser, and Carlos Trujillo, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary (Western Hemisphere Affairs), all of the Department of State, 10 a.m., SD-106.

Special Committee on Aging: to hold hearings to examine the COVID-19 pandemic and seniors, focusing on racial health disparities, 9:30 a.m., SD-562.

House

Committee on Agriculture, Subcommittee on Nutrition, Oversight, and Department Operations, hearing entitled "An Overview of the Farmers to Families Food Box Program", 1:30 p.m., HVC-210 and Webex.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing entitled "Pathway to a Vaccine: Efforts to Develop a Safe, Effective and Accessible COVID-19 Vaccine", 10 a.m., Webex.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing entitled "Consular Af-

fairs and the COVID-19 Crisis: Assessing the State Department's Response to the Pandemic", 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Natural Resources, Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands, hearing entitled "Monumental Decisions: A Long Overdue Reckoning with Racist Symbols on Our Public Lands", 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth and Webex.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity, hearing entitled "Getting Veterans Back to Work After COVID-19", 10 a.m., HVC-210 and Webex.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of July 21 through July 24, 2020

Senate Chamber

On *Tuesday*, Senate will resume consideration of S. 4049, National Defense Authorization Act, and vote on or in relation to Schatz Amendment No. 2252, and Inhofe Amendment No. 2411, at 11:45 a.m., and Shaheen Amendment No. 1729, and Cornyn Amendment No. 2244, at 4 p.m.

During the balance of the week, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business.

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July 22, Subcommittee on Economic Policy, to hold hearings to examine the United States and China, focusing on winning the economic competition, 9:30 a.m., WEBEX.

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Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: July 21, Subcommittee on Manufacturing, Trade, and Consumer Protection, to hold hearings to examine protecting Americans from COVID-19 scams, 2:30 p.m., SD-G50.

July 22, Full Committee, business meeting to consider S. 933, to improve data collection and monitoring of the Great Lakes, oceans, bays, estuaries, and coasts, S. 1730, to direct the Administrator of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration to make grants to State and local governments and nongovernmental organizations for purposes of carrying out climate-resilient living shoreline projects that protect coastal communities by supporting ecosystem functions and habitats with the use of natural materials and systems, S. 3152, to require the Federal Communications Commission to incorporate data on maternal health outcomes into its broadband health maps, S. 3771, to require the Secretary of Commerce to establish the Federal Advisory Committee on the Development and Implementation of Artificial Intelligence, S. 3891, to require the Director of the National Institute of Standards and Technology to advance the development of technical standards for artificial intelligence, to establish the National Program to Advance Artificial Intelligence Research, to promote research on artificial intelligence at the National Science Foundation, S. 3958, to amend title 49, United States Code, to permit the use of incentive payments to expedite certain federally financed airport development projects, S. 4144, to amend the Dingell-Johnson Sport Fish Restoration Act with respect to sport fish restoration and recreational boating safety, S. 4162, to provide certainty for airport funding, and the nominations of Joel Szabat, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of Transportation for Policy, Michael P. O'Rielly, of New York, to be a Member of the Federal Communications Commission, Michael J. Walsh, Jr., of Virginia, to be General Counsel, and Mary A. Toman, of California, to be Under Secretary Economic Affairs, both of the Department of Commerce, and routine lists in the Coast Guard, 9:45 a.m., SD-G50.

July 23, Subcommittee on Communications, Technology, Innovation, and the Internet, to hold hearings to examine the state of United States spectrum policy, 10 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: July 22, Subcommittee on Water and Power, to hold hearings to examine S. 2718, to provide for the conduct of certain water security measures in the State of New Mexico, S. 3811, to provide financial assistance for projects to address certain subsidence impacts in the State of California, S. 4188, to provide for drought preparedness and improved water supply reliability, S. 4189, to provide for drought preparedness and improved water supply reliability, and an original bill entitled, "Water-Energy Technology Demonstration and Deployment Act", 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

July 23, Full Committee, to hold an oversight hearing to examine the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic on users of public lands, forests, and national parks, 10 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: July 22, to hold hearings to examine the increased risk of zoonotic disease from illegal wildlife trafficking, 10 a.m., SD-106.

Committee on Finance: July 21, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Michael N. Nemelka, of Utah, to be a Deputy United States Trade Representative (In-

vestment, Services, Labor, Environment, Africa, China, and the Western Hemisphere), with the rank of Ambassador, and Christian N. Weiler, of Louisiana, and Alina I. Marshall, of Virginia, both to be a Judge of the United States Tax Court, 10 a.m., SD-215.

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July 22, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine advancing effective United States competition with China, focusing on objectives, priorities, and next steps, 2 p.m., SR-325.

July 23, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Lisa S. Kenna, of Vermont, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Peru, Leora Rosenberg Levy, of Connecticut, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Chile, and Aldona Z. Wos, of North Carolina, to be Ambassador to Canada, all of the Department of State, 10 a.m., SD-106.

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: July 22, business meeting to consider S. 4204, to establish an Interagency Task Force to analyze preparedness for national pandemics, S. 4210, to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to authorize the transfer of certain equipment during a public health emergency, S. 4153, to require the Federal Emergency Management Agency to evaluate the National Response Framework based on lessons learned from the COVID-19 pandemic, S. 4157, to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to expand the authority of the National Infrastructure Simulation and Analysis Center, S. 4158, to examine the extent of the reliance of the United States on foreign producers for personal protective equipment during the COVID-19 pandemic and produce recommendations to secure the supply chain of personal protective equipment, S. 4133, to modernize the REAL ID Act of 2005, S. 4165, to repeal section 692 of the Post-Katrina Emergency Management Reform Act of 2006, S. 3997, to strengthen the security and integrity of the United States scientific and research enterprise, S. 4200, to establish a program to facilitate the adoption of modern technology by executive agencies, S. 4077, to amend the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995 to provide for regulatory impact analyses for certain rules, S. 92, to amend chapter 8 of title 5, United States Code, to provide that major rules of the executive branch shall have no force or effect unless a joint resolution of approval is enacted into law, S. 4138, to amend title 5, United States Code, to make permanent the authority of the United States Patent and Trademark Office to conduct a telework travel expenses program, S. 3287, to modify the governmentwide financial management plan, S. 3455, to prohibit certain individuals from downloading or using TikTok on any device issued by the United States or a government corporation, S. 4024, to establish in the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency of the Department of Homeland Security a Cybersecurity Advisory Committee, S. 2967, to establish

the Commission on Intergovernmental Relations of the United States to facilitate the fullest cooperation, coordination, and mutual accountability among all levels of government, S. 3658, to establish an Office of Equal Rights and Community Inclusion at the Federal Emergency Management Agency, S. 4169, to establish a National Commission on United States Counterterrorism Policy, S. 3038, to promote innovative acquisition techniques and procurement strategies, S. 3896, to amend title 5, United States Code, to require the Director of the Office of Personnel Management to establish and maintain a public directory of the individuals occupying Government policy and supporting positions, S. 3461, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2600 Wesley Street in Greenville, Texas, as the “Audie Murphy Post Office Building”, S. 3462, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 909 West Holiday Drive in Fate, Texas, as the “Ralph Hall Post Office”, S. 3839, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2719 South Webster Street in Kokomo, Indiana, as the “Opha May Johnson Post Office”, S. 4126, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 104 East Main Street in Port Washington, Wisconsin, as the “Joseph G. Demler Post Office”, H.R. 1313, to amend the Implementing Recommendations of the 9 11 Commission Act of 2007 to clarify certain allowable uses of funds for public transportation security assistance grants and establish periods of performance for such grants, H.R. 4727, to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to establish a mentor-protégé program, H.R. 542, to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to establish the National Urban Security Technology Laboratory, an original bill entitled, “GAO Database Modernization Act”, an original bill entitled, “Southwest Border Security Technology Improvement Act of 2020”, and the nominations of Derek Kan, of California, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget, and Mark A. Robbins, Carl Ezekiel Ross, and Elizabeth J. Shapiro, each to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia, 10 a.m., SD–215.

Committee on the Judiciary: July 22, to hold hearings to examine protecting the integrity of college athletics, 2:30 p.m., SD–G50.

July 23, Full Committee, business meeting to consider S. 4212, to amend title 28, United States Code, to strip foreign sovereign immunity of certain foreign states to secure justice for victims of novel coronavirus in the United States, and the nominations of David W. Dugan, and Stephen P. McGlynn, both to be a United States District Judge for the Southern District of Illinois, John W. Holcomb, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California, Hala Y. Jarbou, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Michigan, Iain D. Johnston, and Franklin Ulyses Valderrama, both to be a United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois, Brett H. Ludwig, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Wisconsin, R. Shireen Matthews, and Todd Wallace Robinson, both to be a United States District Judge for the Southern District of California, Christy Criswell Wiegand, to be United States

District Judge for the Western District of Pennsylvania, and Roderick C. Young, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Virginia, 10 a.m., SD–325.

Committee on Rules and Administration: July 22, to hold hearings to examine 2020 general election preparations, 10:30 a.m., SR–301.

Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship: July 23, to hold hearings to examine capital access for minority small businesses, focusing on COVID–19 resources for an equitable and sustainable recovery, 10 a.m., SD–430.

Select Committee on Intelligence: July 22, to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Christopher C. Miller, of Virginia, to be Director of the National Counterterrorism Center, and Patrick Hovakimian, of California, to be General Counsel, both of the Office of the Director of National Intelligence, 10 a.m., SR–325.

Special Committee on Aging: July 21, to hold hearings to examine the COVID–19 pandemic and seniors, focusing on racial health disparities, 9:30 a.m., SD–562.

House Committees

Committee on Education and Labor, July 23, Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Elementary, and Secondary Education, hearing entitled “Underfunded and Unprepared: Examining How to Overcome Obstacles to Safely Reopen Public Schools”, 10:15 a.m., 2175 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Financial Services, July 23, Full Committee, hearing entitled “The Heroes Act: Providing for a Strong Economic Recovery from COVID–19”, 2128 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, July 23, Full Committee, hearing entitled “The Trump Administration’s FY2021 Foreign Assistance Budget Request”, 9:30 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on Homeland Security, July 22, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Examining the National Response to the Worsening Coronavirus Pandemic: Part II”, 9 a.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on the Judiciary, July 23, Full Committee, markup on H.R. 2678, the “No President is Above the Law Act”; H.R. 1627, the “Abuse of the Pardon Prevention Act”; and to Ratify Subcommittee Assignments, 10 a.m., CVC–200 and Webex.

Committee on Natural Resources, July 22, Subcommittee for Indigenous Peoples of the United States, hearing on H.R. 958, the “Native Youth and Tribal Officer Protection Act”; H.R. 6237, the “PRC for Native Veterans Act”; H.R. 6535, the “Coverage for Urban Indian Health Providers Act”; and H.R. 7119, the “Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium Land Transfer Act of 2020”, 2 p.m., 1324 Longworth and Webex.

July 23, Full Committee, hearing entitled “The Transformation of the Puerto Rico Electric Power Authority (PREPA)”, 3:30 p.m., 1324 Longworth.

Committee on Oversight and Reform, July 22, Full Committee, hearing entitled “F–35 Joint Strike Fighter: Ensuring Safety and Accountability in the Government’s Trillion Dollar Investment”, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn and Webex.

July 23, Subcommittee on National Security, hearing entitled “Empowering Women and Girls and Promoting International Security”, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn and Webex.

July 24, Subcommittee on Environment, hearing entitled “FEMA’s Natural Disaster Preparedness and Response Efforts During the Coronavirus Pandemic”, 9 a.m., 2154 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Rules, July 22, Full Committee, hearing on H.R. 7608, the “Department of State, Foreign Operations, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 2021” [State, Foreign Operations, Agriculture, Rural Development, Interior, Environment, Military Construction, and Veterans Affairs Appropriations Act, 2021], 2 p.m., Webex.

Committee on Small Business, July 22, Subcommittee on Investigations, Oversight, and Regulations, hearing entitled “21st Century SBA: An Analysis of SBA’s Technology Systems”, 1 p.m., 2360 Rayburn and Webex.

Committee on Veterans’ Affairs, July 22, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations; and Women Veterans Task Force, joint hearing entitled “Safety for All: Ending Sexual Harassment in the Department of Veterans Affairs”, 2 p.m., HVC–210 and Webex.

July 23, Full Committee, hearing on H.R. 6039, to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to seek to enter into an agreement with the city of Vallejo, California, for the transfer of Mare Island Naval Cemetery in Vallejo, California, and for other purposes; H.R. 6082, the “Forgotten Vietnam Veterans Act”; H.R. 4908, the “Native American PACT Act”; H.R. 2791, the “Department of Veterans Affairs Tribal Advisory Committee Act of 2019”; H.R. 4526, the “Brian Tally VA Employment Transparency Act”; H.R. 3582, to amend title 38, United States Code, to expand the scope of the Advisory Committee on Minority Veterans, and for other purposes; H.R. 96, to amend title 38, United States Code, to re-

quire the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to furnish dental care in the same manner as any other medical service, and for other purposes; H.R. 4281, the “Access to Contraception Expansion for Veterans Act”; H.R. 3010, the “Honoring All Veterans Act”; H.R. 7163, the “VA FOIA Reform Act of 2020”; H.R. 7111, the “Veterans Economic Recovery Act of 2020”; H.R. 2435, the “Accelerating Veterans Recovery Outdoors Act”; H.R. 7287, to clarify the licensure requirements for contractor medical professionals to perform medical disability examinations for the Department of Veterans Affairs; H.R. 3228, the “VA Mission Telehealth Clarification Act”; H.R. 6141, the “Protecting Moms Who Served Act”; H.R. 6493, the “Veterans Benefits Fairness and Transparency Act”; H.R. 7445, to amend title 38, United States Code, to expand eligibility for home loans from the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to certain members of the reserve components of the Armed Forces; legislation on the Burial Equity for Guards and Reserves Act of 2020; legislation to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend certain employment and reemployment rights to members of the National Guard who perform State active duty; and legislation to amend title 38, United States Code, to clarify the scope of procedural rights of members of the uniformed services with respect to their employment and reemployment rights, and for other purposes, 10 a.m., HVC–210 and Webex.

Committee on Ways and Means, July 23, Subcommittee on Trade, hearing entitled “Trade, Manufacturing, and Critical Supply Chains: Lessons from COVID–19”, 2 p.m., Webex.

Joint Meetings

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: July 23, to hold hearings to examine human rights at home, focusing on media, politics and safety of journalists, 11 a.m., WEBEX.